

### **Expected Features of SMEX 10&11 Phase A Contracts**

1. Precontract cost authorizations expected to be effective shortly after requests received (none so far).
2. Concept Study Reports to be due 6/18/04.
3. Downselect decisions expected October or November '04
4. Final deliverable to be due 2-3 weeks after downselect.
5. Bridge Phase Option in Each Contract – to be exercised only for downselect winners (assume 4 month period of performance).
6. Advance agreement on Phases B-D/E (depending on what's in selection letters).
7. Proposal Update for Phases B-D/E to be due as soon as possible after downselect decision.
8. Contract modification for Phases B-D/E (will require more inputs than the phase A contract, due to higher dollar value).